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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD  
OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner,  
Mailed **January 13, 2003**, finally rejecting Claims **15-31**.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

**1. STATUS OF APPLICANT**

This application is on behalf of  
☒ other than a small entity.  
☐ small entity.

A verified statement claiming small entity status  
☐ is attached.  
☐ was already filed on

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**2. FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(e), the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

<input type="checkbox"/>	small entity	\$160.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	other than small entity	\$320.00

Notice of Appeal fee due **\$320.00**

**3. EXTENSION OF TERM**

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply.

- (complete (A) or (B), as applicable)
- (A) ☒ Applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 for the total number of months checked below (fees: 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d)):

	Extension (months)	Fee for Other than Small Entity	Fee for Small Entity
<input type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$ 410.00	\$205.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$ 930.00	\$465.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$1,450.00	\$725.00

Fee due for indicated extension **\$410.00**

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(check and complete the next item, if applicable)

- ☐ An extension for \_\_\_ month has already been secured. The fee paid therefor of \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request **\$410.00**

- (B) ☐ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

**4. TOTAL FEE DUE**

The total fee due is:

Notice of Appeal fee	\$ <u>320.00</u>
Extension fee (if any)	\$ <u>410.00</u>

TOTAL FEE DUE **\$ 730.00**

5. **FEE PAYMENT**

☒ Attached is a check in the sum of **\$730.00**

☐ Charge Account No. \_\_\_ the sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_

A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

6. **FEE DEFICIENCY**

☒ If any additional extension and/or fee is required or any overpayment has been made, please charge our Deposit Account No. **08-2461** or credit our Deposit Account for such sum.

AND/OR

☒ If any additional fee for claims is required or any overpayment has been made, please charge our Deposit Account No. **08-2461** or credit our Deposit Account for such sum.

Respectfully submitted,



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